Medical Reserve Utilization Program (MEDRUP)

“One Navy Medicine”

Supporting the Mission of Navy Medicine to Provide Health Care and Medical Readiness to the Total Force

U.S. Military in Transition

- Cold War strategy - “Force in Reserve” trained for mass mobilization.
- Cold War ends - Dramatic change in military forces away from static defense, toward active global engagement.
- Today - National Defense Strategy call for a seamless integration of active and reserve components into a Total Force to support AC operational requirements.

Today's Navy Reserve

- Navy Total Force Policy (SECNAV 1001.37A dated 08 April 1997) expanded the traditional role of the Navy Reserve from mobilization into the full spectrum of the Navy's operational requirements.

- This includes **war**, **national emergency**, **contingency operations**, **military operations other than war**, **humanitarian operations**, and **contributory support.**

- In today's world of reduced resources and increased commitments, it is essential that the investment in our Reserve Force be used efficiently to augment Navy Fleet operations.

Changing Role of the Reserve

- Commander Naval Reserve Force (CNRF) Vision Statement: “Support to the Fleet… Ready and Fully Integrated.”
- Reserves are essential to support all missions of the Navy.
- The Reserves must now be a “integral team member”
- Available whenever and wherever required by the Navy.

Navy Medicine’s Strategic Plan

- Navy Medicine’s Mission is to support the deployment readiness of the uniformed services, and promote, protect and maintain the health of all those entrusted to our care.

- The Medical Reserve must be in alignment with Navy Medicine's Strategic Plan and be an integral part of the Navy Medicine Team.

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- Navy Medicine's program to implement Total Force integration is the Medical Reserve Utilization Program.
- Based on a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) that transfers operational control of the Programs 32 & 46 Medical Reserve to BUMED from the Commander, Naval Reserve Force.

The “MOU”

- Establishes Medical Reserve Utilization Program (MEDRUP): Navy Medicine’s and Naval Reserve Force’s plan for achieving full integration of Medical Reserve into the Navy Medical Department’s full spectrum of operational requirements.

- Signed 05 Nov 2000 by the Surgeon General, Chief Naval Reserve Force, and Chief Naval Surface Reserve Force.

The “MOU”

- Transferred operational control (OPCON) to BUMED for:
- Naval Reserve Naval Hospitals (Program 32)
- Naval Reserve Dental Commands (Program 32)
- Naval Reserve Fleet Hospitals (Program 46)
- Administrative control (ADCON) remains with CNSRF, Implementation coordinated between BUMED and CNSRF during FY2000.

avy Medicine's Responsibilities
for Programs 32 and 46

- Plans and budgets all costs
- Directs AT, ADT, and ADSW
- Provide medical readiness support
- Writes FITREPs of Program 32 and Program 46 CO's
- Conducts Medical Inspector General visits as required

Naval Reserve Force's Responsibilities

- Administrative Control of All Reserve Medical Personnel including:
  - Pay
  - Order Writing
  - Physical and Dental Readiness
  - Mobilization

Naval Reserve Force's Responsibilities (cont)

- Administrative Control of All Reserve Medical Personnel including:
  - Drug/Alcohol Screening
  - Administrative Processing of FITREPs and EVALs
  - Promotion/Advancement/Retention
  - Personnel Records
  - GMT

Shared Responsibilities

- Navy Medicine and Reserve Force will jointly manage:
  - Senior Officer Assignments
  - Awards and Recognition
  - Military Justice
  - Investigations

MEDRUP Management Information System *(MEDRUPMIS)*

- A software program for management of Navy Medicine Operational Requirements and Medical Reserve Forces
- Medical Reservists will be able to check own Qualification/Availability Data via Internet
- Available in Fall 2001

MEDRUPMIS Functions

- Stores, tracks and displays Navy Medicine requirements
- Allow matching of Medical Reserve Manpower with requirements
- Monitor Usage of Medical Reserve Forces
- Provide standardized data on Peacetime Contributory Support
- Establish a database of requirements and support for planning future resource needs

MEDRUP Benefits

- Quality AT Opportunities
- Meaningful Assignments
- Variety of Assignments
- Improved working relationships with sponsoring command

MEDRUP Benefits (cont)

- *Right Resource…Right Place… Right Time*
  - Improved Training/Skills
  - Improved Job Satisfaction
  - Improved Career Development
  - Improved Retention
  - Improved Recruitment

MEDRUP Measures of Effectiveness

- Improve Billet/Body Matching
- Reduced Vacant Billets (Officer/Enlisted)
- Enhanced Medical/Dental Readiness
- Increased Peacetime Contributory Support
- Improved Retention Rate

Reserve Force Integration

Questions?